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In the Abstract

Please replace the Abstract as presented in the underlying International Application No. PCT/EP03/00446 with the following amended Abstract:

ABSTRACT

~~The invention relates to a~~ A a device (1) for the exact manipulation of material (90), especially of organic material. ~~The inventive device comprises~~ includes a pulsed laser system (10) with a radiation source (15), said radiation source being a cavity-dumped fs oscillator (11).